

# THE DISTRICT'S



2009 - 2010  
FALL – WINTER

*Leaf*  
COLLECTION

NOVEMBER 2, 2009  
JANUARY 9, 2010



Government of the District of Columbia  
Adrian M. Fenty, Mayor

## ***District of Columbia 2009-2010 Leaf Collection Program***

The Department of Public Works will collect leaves from November 2, 2009 to January 9, 2010. DPW uses vacuum trucks to collect the bulk of the leaves, which are then composted. We *urge* residents to follow the schedule detailed in this brochure when planning to rake loose leaves into piles in the curbside treebox space for collection.

DPW will collect bagged leaves from the treebox space or the alley in neighborhoods with rear trash and recycling collections. Place bagged leaves next to the trash/recycling container(s). Bagged leaves will be placed in the landfill.

### **Tips for a Smooth-Running Leaf Collection Season**

- Review the schedule for your street's collection weeks.
- Rake leaves into the treebox space the weekend before your street's collection weeks.
- Please – *leaves only!* Tree limbs, bricks, dirt, rocks, etc., will damage the equipment and delay collections.
- Prevent fires and parking problems by placing leaves in the treebox space, not in the street.

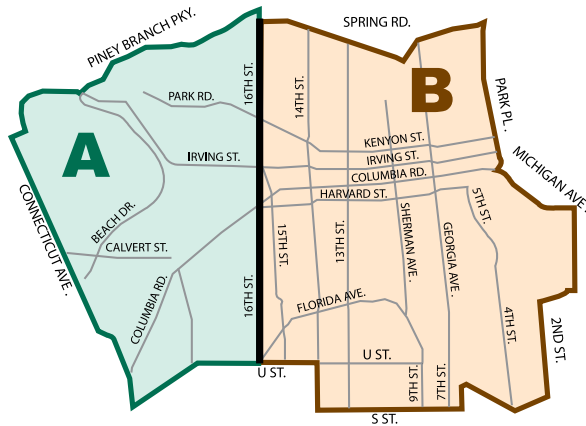
### **Leaf Collection Facts**

- Every street will have at least two collections. During the first pass, crews will vacuum loose leaves from the treebox space, collect bagged leaves, and clear potentially hazardous situations. The second pass features a more thorough cleaning.
- Collections will be made Veterans Day (Wednesday, November 11) and Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, November 26).
- No collections will be made Christmas Day (Friday, December 25) and New Year's Day (Friday, January 1).

🍂 **Snow and ice can disrupt the leaf collection schedule** because DPW leaf collection staff support the District Department of Transportation's Snow and Ice Control Program. Expect schedule delays when snow/ice storms are predicted.

🍂 DPW will collect everything, even if the schedule is delayed due to weather or other circumstances. Please be patient. **Bagged leaves will be collected with trash as space permits in the truck.** Check the collection status online at [www.dpw.dc.gov](http://www.dpw.dc.gov).

## WARD 1



### Area A

West side of 16th Street, NW

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday: For Collection From:**

November 1	November 2 to 14
November 22	November 23 to December 5

### Area B

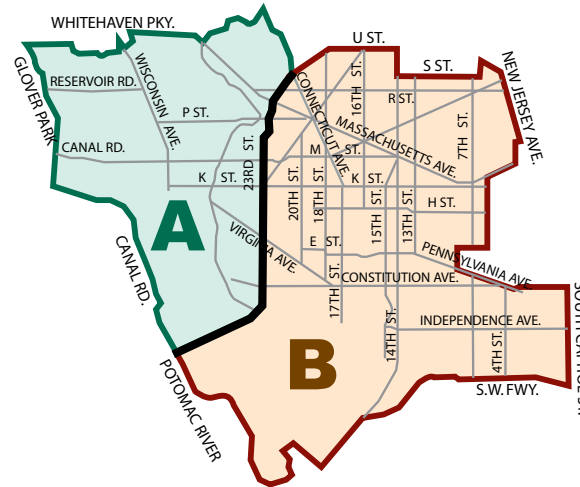
East side of 16th Street, NW

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday: For Collection From:**

November 15	November 16 to 21
December 6	December 7 to 12

## WARD 2



### Area A

West side of 23rd Street, NW

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday: For Collection From:**

November 1	November 2 to 14
November 22	November 23 to December 5

### Area B

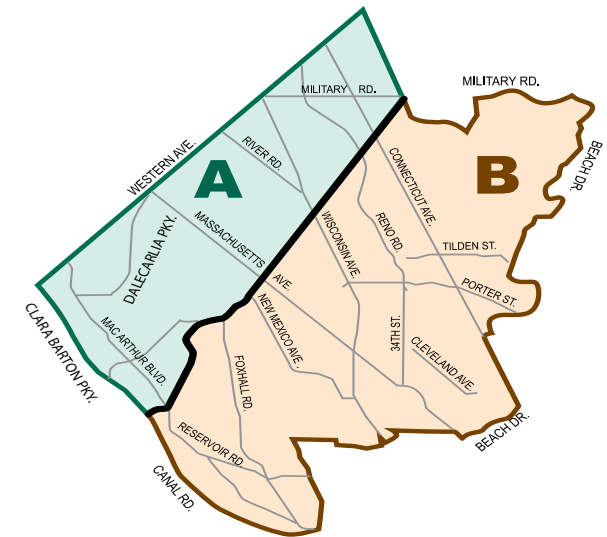
East side of 23rd Street, NW

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday: For Collection From:**

November 15	November 16 to 21
December 6	December 7 to 12

## WARD 3



### Area A

West side of Nebraska Avenue, Loughboro Road and Chain Bridge Road, NW

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday: For Collection From:**

November 1	November 2 to 14
November 29	November 30 to December 12
December 27	December 28 to January 2

### Area B

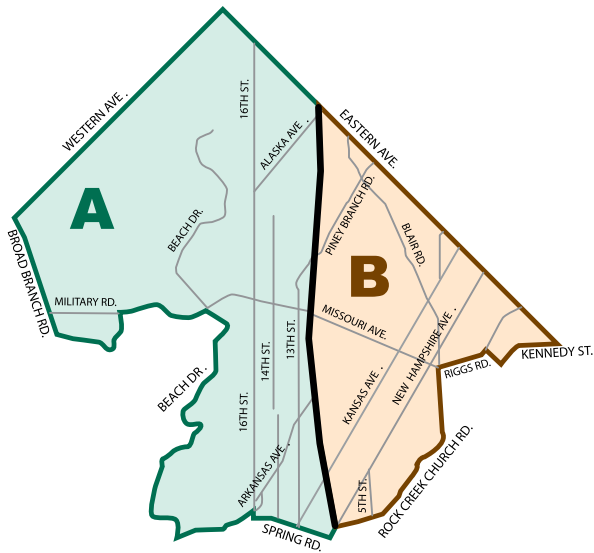
East side of Nebraska Avenue, Loughboro Road and Chain Bridge Road, NW

#### Rake Leaves

**Out By Sunday: For Collection From:**

November 15	November 16 to 28
December 13	December 14 to 26
January 3	January 4 to 9

# WARD 4



## Area A

West side of Georgia Avenue, NW

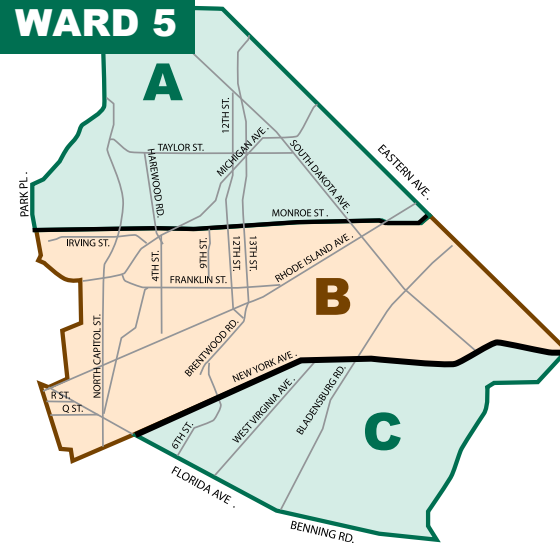
**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:** For Collection From:  
November 1 November 2 to 14  
November 29 November 30 to December 12  
December 27 December 28 to January 2

## Area B

East side of Georgia Avenue, NW

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:** For Collection From:  
November 15 November 16 to 28  
December 13 December 14 to 26  
January 3 January 4 to 9

# WARD 5



## Area A

North side of Monroe Street, NE

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:** For Collection From:  
November 1 November 2 to 7  
November 29 November 30 to December 5

## Area B

South side of Monroe Street, NE to  
North side of New York Avenue, NE

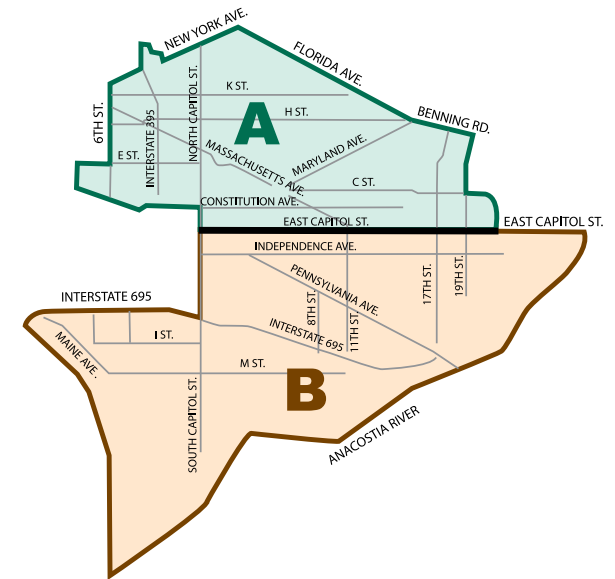
**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:** For Collection From:  
November 8 November 9 to 21  
December 6 December 7 to 19

## Area C

South side of New York Avenue, NE

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:** For Collection From:  
November 22 November 23 to 28  
December 20 December 21 to 26

# WARD 6



## Area A

North side of East Capitol Street, NE

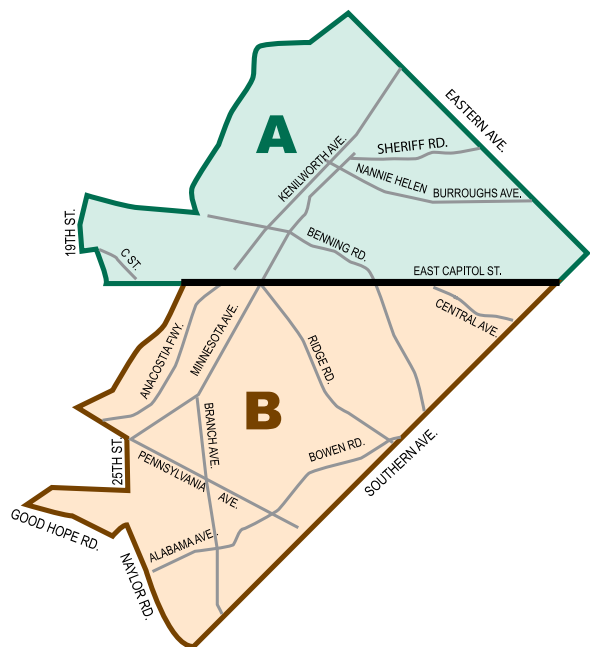
**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:** For Collection From:  
November 1 November 2 to 14  
November 29 November 30 to December 12

## Area B

South side of East Capitol Street, SE

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:** For Collection From:  
November 15 November 16 to 28  
December 13 December 14 to 26

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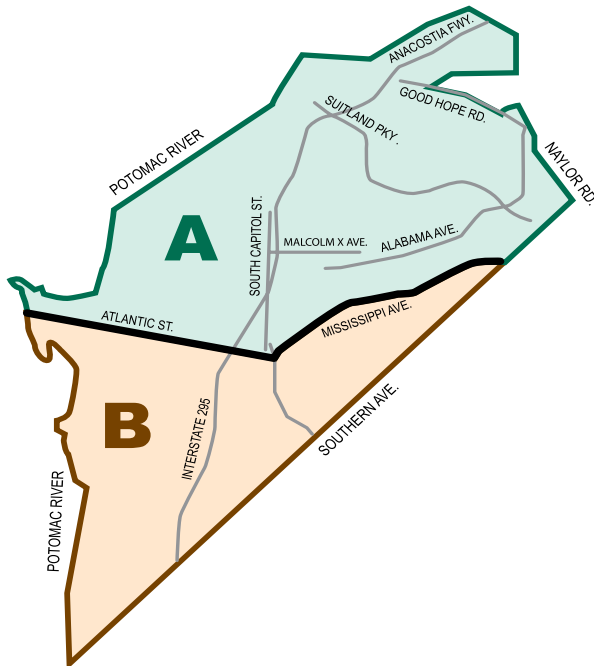
**Area A**  
North side of East Capitol Street, NE

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday**    **For Collection From:**  
  
November 1            November 2 to 14  
November 29        November 30 to December 12

**Area B**  
South side of East Capitol Street, SE

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:**    **For Collection From:**  
  
November 15        November 16 to 28  
December 13        December 14 to 26

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**Area A**  
North side of Atlantic Street and  
Mississippi Avenue, SE

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:**    **For Collection From:**  
  
November 1            November 2 to 14  
November 29        November 30 to December 12

**Area B**  
South side of Atlantic Street and  
Mississippi Avenue, SE

**Rake Leaves**  
**Out By Sunday:**    **For Collection From:**  
  
November 15        November 16 to 28  
December 13        December 14 to 26

GOOD TO KNOW...

**BRING LEAVES TO FT. TOTTEN**  
4900 John F. McCormack Road, NE, Monday to Friday  
1 pm to 5 pm and Saturday, 8 am to 3 pm. For more  
information, call 311.

**PREVENT WATER POLLUTION**  
**Keep catch basins clear of loose leaves, debris and trash.** Clogged catch basins (storm drains) can cause increased street flooding during heavy rain. Use the street litter cans for pedestrian litter and your trash cans for trash. **Please do not sweep sidewalk litter into gutters or catch basins.** Organic material, cigarette butts, and trash washed into catch basins contribute to water pollution. To report a clogged catch basin, please call WASA at 202.612.3400. **Properly dispose of motor oil and other hazardous materials.** Dumping these items into the catch basins pollutes our waterways and harms wildlife. Bring these or other household hazardous (or electronic) waste items to the Fort Totten Trash Transfer Station (address above) on Saturdays from 8 am to 3 pm.

**2010 HOLIDAY TREE PICK-UP**  
Holiday trees and wreaths will be picked up curbside from January 2 to January 16. Remove all decorations and place your holiday greenery in the treebox space in front of your home no earlier than Friday, January 1, and no later than Sunday, January 10. Any trees not collected by January 16 should be set out with your trash. Trees will be picked up as space in the trash trucks allows over the following weeks.

Si necesita información sobre el servicio de recogida de hojas, sírvase llamar al (202) 673-6833.

如果您需要有關樹葉收集的資訊，請電 (202) 673-6833。

낙엽 수거에 대한 정보를 원하시면, (202) 673-6833번으로 연락하십시오.

Nếu bạn cần thông tin về sưu tầm lá cây, vui lòng gọi số điện thoại (202) 673-6833.

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